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Daniel G. Nelson, Executive Director San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority P. O. Box 2157 Los Banos, CA 93635

Dear Dan:

Thank you for your letter dated August 28, 1996 regarding the appointment of Lance Johnson to the Water Use Efficiency Work Group. We would welcome the greater participation of Lance Johnson as an invited participant on the Work Group and will add his name to our membership list accordingly. As you may recall during the formation of the Work Group, we requested a representative from your region and, as such, have held a seat for that purpose.

The Work Group membership does include several people who have a good understanding of agricultural issues: Alex Hildebrand, Stuart Pyle, Don Bransford and Mike Stearns, all participating BDAC members; Brad Shinn and Ed Craddock, both invited participants. In addition, members of the CALFED consultant team assisting this Work Group also have a good understanding of agricultural issues.

CALFED wants to assure that work products related to Water Use Efficiency are complete and accurate. We welcome your comments and participation and the participation of Lance Johnson on the Water Use Efficiency Work Group.

Sincerely,

Lester A. Show

Executive Director